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For:	METHOD OF FASTENING A GUARD RAIL BY MEANS OF A GUARD RAIL BOLT, THE GUARD RAIL BOLT AND THE TOOL FOR FASTENING THE GUARD RAIL BOLT		

**AMENDMENT UNDER RULE 116**

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Sir:

This paper is submitted in reply to the Office Action mailed March 8, 2011, which was made Final. Applicants respectfully request that the following amendments **as to form** be entered to place this application in condition for allowance.